

# Psalm 104

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## How Many Are Your Works, O LORD!

<sup>1</sup>Bless the LORD, O my soul. O LORD my God, Thou art very great; Thou art clothed with glory and majesty.

<sup>2</sup>Who coverest Thyself with light as with a garment, Who stretchest out the heavens like a curtain;

**3**Who layest the beams of Thine upper chambers in the waters, Who makest the clouds Thy chariot,  
Who walkest upon the wings of the wind;

**4**Who makest winds Thy messengers, The flaming fire Thy ministers.

**5**Who didst establish the earth upon its foundations, That it should not be moved for ever and ever;

**6**Thou didst cover it with the deep as with a vesture; The waters stood above the mountains.

**7**At Thy rebuke they fled, At the voice of Thy thunder they hasted away—

**8**The mountains rose, the valleys sank down—Unto the place which Thou hadst founded for them;

**9**Thou didst set a bound which they should not pass over, That they might not return to cover the earth.

**10**Who sendest forth springs into the valleys; They run between the mountains;

**11**They give drink to every beast of the field, The wild asses quench their thirst.

**12**Beside them dwell the fowl of the heaven, From among the branches they sing.

**13**Who waterest the mountains from Thine upper chambers; The earth is full of the fruit of Thy works.

**14**Who causeth the grass to spring up for the cattle, And herb for the service of man; To bring forth bread out of the earth,

**15**And wine that maketh glad the heart of man, Making the face brighter than oil, And bread that stayeth man's heart.

**16**The trees of the LORD have their fill, The cedars of Lebanon, which He hath planted;

**17**Wherein the birds make their nests; As for the stork, the fir-trees are her house.

**18**The high mountains are for the wild goats; The rocks are a refuge for the conies.

**19**Who appointedst the moon for seasons; The sun knoweth his going down.

**20**Thou makest darkness, and it is night, Wherein all the beasts of the forest do creep forth.

**21**The young lions roar after their prey, And seek their food from God.

**22**The sun ariseth, they slink away, And couch in their dens.

**23**Man goeth forth unto his work And to his labour until the evening.

**24**How manifold are Thy works, O LORD! In wisdom hast Thou made them all; The earth is full of Thy creatures.

**25**Yonder sea, great and wide, Therein are creeping things innumerable, Living creatures, both small and great.

**26**There go the ships; There is leviathan, whom Thou hast formed to sport therein.

**27**All of them wait for Thee, That Thou mayest give them their food in due season.

**28**Thou givest it unto them, they gather it; Thou openest Thy hand, they are satisfied with good.

**29**Thou hidest Thy face, they vanish; Thou withdrawest their breath, they perish, And return to their dust.

**30**Thou sendest forth Thy spirit, they are created; And Thou renewest the face of the earth.

**31**May the glory of the LORD endure for ever; Let the LORD rejoice in His works!

**32**Who looketh on the earth, and it trembleth; He toucheth the mountains, and they smoke.

**33**I will sing unto the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have any being.

**34**Let my musing be sweet unto Him; As for me, I will rejoice in the LORD.

**35**Let sinners cease out of the earth, And let the wicked be no more. Bless the LORD, O my soul. Hallelujah.